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Applicant

: KENJI YAMAMURA ET AL.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision mailed February 27, 2003, of the Primary Examiner rejecting claims 1-4 and 11.

Applicant hereby submits the required filing fee of \$320.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(e).

If there are any questions regarding this amendment or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and

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please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (CAM #: 038921.48531US).

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